



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
August 24, 2004

Applicant(s): Mark DUNN  
For : SHADING AND TEXTURING 3-DIMENSIONAL COMPUTER  
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TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the  
decision mailed February 24, 2004 of the Primary Examiner  
finally rejecting Claims 9-22.

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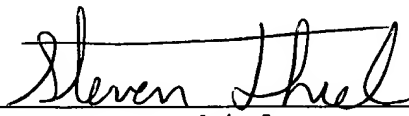
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☒ Appeal fee:

☒ \$330.00 (large entity).

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☐ Attached.

☐ Previously filed.

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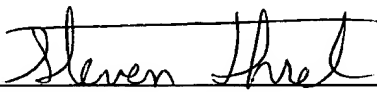
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